

July 18, 2018

Ex Parte

Ms. Marlene Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th St. SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: USTelecom Ex Parte Notice, WC Dkt. No. 10-90, Connect America Fund

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On July 16, 2018, Jon Banks and I, representing USTelecom, met with Jamie Susskind, Chief of Staff for Commissioner Carr.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss USTelecom's recent filing in this docket¹ addressing the need for the Commission, as it moves forward with the Connect America Fund (CAF) Phase II Auction, to address the treatment of obligations and support for voice services in high cost areas that are not funded as part of the CAF II program. All positions were consistent with this filing and we provided a copy of it to Ms. Susskind.

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Mike Saperstein

Vice President, Law & Policy

cc: Jamie Susskind

¹ Letter from Mike Saperstein, USTelecom, USTelecom, to Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, WC Dkt. No. 10-90 (June 29, 2018).